HOUSE RESOLUTION 277 By Bone

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of R. Dan Culp of Knoxville.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the death of R. Dan Culp; and

WHEREAS, Dan Culp was an exemplary public servant and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for his fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, a long-time and well-known real estate developer, Dan Culp, through his Triad Development Company and Triad Properties, was responsible for hundreds of millions of dollars worth of downtown development, most notably the TVA Towers, One and Two Centre Square, and the St. Mary's West office complex on Weisgarber Road; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Culp was a graduate of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, a former member of the West Knoxville Rotary Club, and a member of the AGR Brotherhood and many other organizations; and

WHEREAS, an ardent sportsman and lifetime member of Ducks Unlimited, Dan Culp hunted and fished in the United States, Canada, Mexico, South America, and Africa; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Culp was also deeply devoted to his family, and he always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, Dan Culp enjoyed the loving companionship of his wife, Teresa, and was the proud father of Connie Carney, Kerri Culp, and Danielle Mathews; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Culp is further survived by his grandchildren, Daniel, Joshua, Justin, and Benjamin Carney and Hannah Paige Mathews; nephew, Dr. Chris Culp; and sons-in-law, Clark Carney and Matt Mathews; and

WHEREAS, Dan Culp was preceded in death by his parents, Virgil L. and Louise B. Culp, and brother, Cary Culp; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Culp leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor the memory of R. Dan Culp, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Dan Culp.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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